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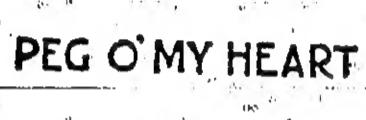
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Though the German Covernment is not unnaturally doing its best to hush up the graver features of the great foodstuff scandal, there are still a few newspapers Germany, it seems, which decline to be bribed into silence.

One of these, the Berlin " Vorwaerts." the organ of the Socialist party. recently published tables showing that a owerful group of contractors, by laying their plans astutely very early in the war, managed to corner such vast quantities of food that by the end of last July

they had realized in extra profits £180,000,000 every penny of which, as the "Vorwaerts," pointed out, was drawn "the blood and sweat of the

THE UNVARNISHED TRUTH." The "Frankfurter Zeitung" takes up the tale and makes the interesting revelation that it is, the Federal Coungil which: is upholding this iniquitous system of robbery, thus crossing heavily the "t's ' and dotting firmly the "i's " of the Socialist journal's suggestion that " men in high places " were, fingering these

illicit profits :--If the gross scandal of the speculation in foodstriffs is to be dealt with in the drustic fashion that alone will ensure the stoppage of this crying evil, the State machine in its present form must be remodelled out of existence.

To all appearances, it is the Federal Council that is responsible for the delay in solving the food question. The fact is, however, that we are blessed-or

cursed-with two Governments in-Germany, which are not at all in harmony. One is the Federal Council, and the other is the Kaiser, with the responsible imperial Chancellor and the authorities subordinate to him.

Of the two, the Federal Council is the more arbitrary. It exercises the powers of a despot and really admits no responsibility towards the Kalser or any one else. The consequence is that a consinuous state of friction has been set up which does not augur too favourably for a prompt relief from the present intolexable economic conditions.

There is only one remedy available, and that the Imperial Chancellor shall exercise all the powers of the Federal Council. The council must be given a purely parliamentary sphere of activity, and become, as it were, an Imperial Higher: House by the side of the Reichstag.

Only thus will the Kaiser become actually the head of the empire, and only in this form can an agreement be rendered possible in Germany between monarchy and democracy.

Uniess such an agreement be concluded the ship of State must founder. This is the plain and unvernished truth.

OUR DIMINISHED MILLION. The Hamburg " Freendenblatt," which has always been famous for its figure studies, finds that the "million men of Lord Kitchener's New Army had dwindled down to 150,000 by the time they reached the front :-

Lord Kitchener, who talks like a politician anxious to create a good impression abroad for financial reasons rather than like a general, has directed attention to the great reinforcements which have lately been despatched to the Roge

Quite eleven divisions have arrived This is equivalent to shout 150,000 men. Here, then, we have the concrete result of the loudly advertised new three million army which the English were forming, and with which they were to have given an entirely fresh turn to the compaign.

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When the English War Minister talks about, further armies which are to tak part, shortly in the fighting, his assertion must be received with the utmost can tion. No doubt, the result will be like that which has already attended the coming of the fabulous million-headed host. Meanwhile in the west the German remain in possession of the enemy's territory. They hold nearly the whole of Belgium and a great part of Northern France, and so strongly have they entrenched themselves there that the on catt crow esissarethe and to ethics

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THE CIGARETTE

THE INDELIBLE STAIN. The official "North German Gazette

rarely lets a day go by without trying once more to rub out the stain of Germany's early doings in Flanders. The new effort takes another turn :-Until now there have still been found

in the heutral countries a certain ber of simple souls who believed that the atrocity-stories compiled by the English Government against our army sprang from noble motives of humanity and from the love of truth:

These credulous people, did not suspret, what we knew all slong, that the bloodeurdling yarns had been invented with the one sole object of giving an impulse to recruiting. Now the inrefutable proof of the truth of this assertion

Before us lie two English booklets, bearing the title. " The Truth about the German Atrocities" and "The Dishonoured German Army." These contain a powerfully worded and condensed ration of the old strocity lies, and are, as the title shows, published by the " Parliamentary Recruiting Committee, Downing Street, 12, in London."

need atrocities in order to spur on the man in the street to enter the army.

far in thus publicly exposing their cards. HAMAN IN COTTONPOLIS. Ascotton famine in Manchester, accord

ing to the " Vossische Zeitung," is Fate's righteous retribution on England for her dastardly attempt to deprive Germany of the materials for explosives:-

Like Haman in the Old Testament story, who was hanged on the gibbet with her own petard.

They are actually suffering from a ccton famine in Manchester. After Enghad declared cotton contraband to provent the importation, direct or indirect, into Germany, one might have expected that England at least would be provided with sufficient cotton. Can it be that the American Southern

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with cotton on the sold condition that they are leit a froe hand for the delivery of the article in German ports also? The supposition would appear to be well founded, inasmuch as it seems certain that the Southern States have apparently participated, in the Quadruple Powers' loan on the understanding that England abandons her attitude on the cotton question. . "

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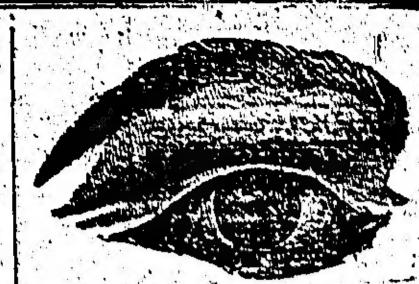
of her tastes. " Fond of work and also many forms of activity and recreation, my business ties restrict me too much to a social atmosphere in which I am not content and where I cannot kope to find my ideal. Unlike most men, the love of money making and money itself appeals less and which he had prepared for his enemy, less to my perhaps too artistic and sen-England is in danger of being boisted sitive temperament, and I crave to meet the girl whom I intend to made the ide of my life.

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1. That the Capital of the Society be "increased to \$4,000,000 (Four "million Dollars) by the creation of "3,600 (Three thousand six hundred) "additional ordinary shares of \$250. ' (Two hundred and fifty Dollars) "each (whereof \$100 (One hundred "Dollars) shall be credited as paid "up) ranking for dividend and in all "other respects pari posses with the "existing ordinary shares of the "Society; and that the said ad-"ditional shares, so far as shall be "to those Shareholders of the China "Fire Insurance Company Limited "who have accepted or shall accept "the Society's offer made to them on " the 4th day of August, 1915-such " igue being in accordance with the terms of a contract or memorandum "in writing made or to be made " pursuant to the said offer and to be "filed with the Registrar of Com-" panies :, and that the balance off "any) of the said additional shares. "be disposed of by the Society's "Board of Directors in such manner "as such Board shall think most

2. "That Article No. 9 of the Society's "Articles of Association which now "reads :-

" beneficial to the Society".

\*The Society shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares of any shareholder for all monies due to the Society either from him "alone or jointly with any other person, and whore a share is held by more persons than one the \*Society shall have a lien thereon in respect of all monies so due to it from all or any of the holders

"be eliminated in its entirety and "that in lieu thereof the following "new Article be inserted as Article

The Soc ety shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares registered in the name of each shareholder (whether solely or 'jointly with others) and upon the proceeds of sale thereof, for his debts, liabilities and engagements. and solely or jointly with any other person, to or with the Society, whether the period for the paymen, fulfilment, or dis-'charge theroof shall have actually 'arrived or not and no equitable interest in any share shall be 'created except upon the footing and condition that Clause 84A hereof is to have full effect. And such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time "declared in respect of such shares .

""That after Article No. 34 of the "Society's Articles of Association "the following new Article be insert-"ed as Article No. 34A :-

'Savo as herein otherwise provided! share as the absolute owner thereof, and accordingly shall not, except as ordered by a Court of competent jurisdict n, or as by Ordinance required, he bound recognise any equitable or other 1001". claim to or interest in such share on the part of any other person,

firm, Company or Corporation. "That the heading of Articles Nos. " 95 to 100 (inclusive) of the Society's "Articles of Association reading "the "Secretary' be altered so as to read the General Manager'; and that in the last mentioned Articles (Nos. 44 95 to 100 inclusive) wherever the word Secretary appears such word be eliminated and that in lieu thereof THE Undereigned have received instruc-

"That in the following Articles." of the Society's Articles of Association, viz :—Articles Nos. 2, 7, 25, 36, 45, 47, 53, 55, 84, 94, 103 and 129 the word Fecretary. "wherever it occurs be climinated," and that in lieu thereof the words

" General Manager! be inserted." One Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Piano by Koch & Sons, Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary Piano by Koch & Sohne, General Meeting which will be subsequent. Piano by Weindenslawfe.

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Beardary.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

1. "That Article No. 9 of the Company's "Artisles of Association which now

any other person, and where a clambered into the big motor-ambulance, share is held by more persons and we set forth upon the long drive. than one the Company shall have "a lien thereon in respect of all" "monies so due to it from all or any of the holders thereof.

discharge " thereof shall have ghat of our Hindu troops. 'actually arrived or not, and

"That after Article No. 33 of the "Company's Articles of Association "the tollowing new Article beinserted "as Article No. 334 :-

"Save as herein otherwise provided the Company shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any | weather. hhare as the absolute owner thereof, and accordingly shall not,

inserted." "That in the following Articles of "the Company's Articles of Associa-"tion, viz :- " Articles Nos. 2, \*\* 24, 35, 44, 48, 52, 54, 83, 93, 102 "and 123" the word Secretary "wherever it occurs be eliminated "and that in lieu thereof the words

" General Manager. be inserted. Should the above Resolutions be passed by the requisite majority, they will submitted for confirmation as the Society shall be entitled to Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary treat the registered holder of any General Meeting which will be sub sequently convened

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AN INDIAN FUNERAL.

DOWNS.

The Burning-Ghat.

A correspondent writes in The Times a

muny incredible things are happen ing that the imagination is apt to strike work and to take the incredible for granted. But the spectacle of Hindu burial rites performed on the Susax Downs is one to stir the most jaded sense of wonder. As I write, the sound of the queer, whining chant of the mourners lingers in my cars; the sorid fumes of the burning yre hang in my nostribe. I seem to see the brown, bars footed figures squatting in pray nor busy about the complicated details of the long ritual, and I know that I did not

There had been a death in the Kitchener Military Hospital at Brighton. That is not a frequent occurrence, for in this hospital, which has dealt with more than 3,000 cases of all sorts, the death-rate has been only '09 per cont. from all causes, and the death-rate from wounds even lower than that. And those who have seen the Indian. Medical Service's work of this hospital will understand how the rate is kept so low. picturesque element of wound d men as but scarcely longer ceremonies of the Sikhs, we were to see something very elaborate and particular and, in its odd way, impression.

Before the body was put into the big black motor hearse a photographer was allowed to come and take a picture of the dead man's features, to be sent to his relatives in far India. The bier lam in a small court among the hospital buildings, where a little crowd of the personnel had gathered to watch. Over the hody was stratched a pall of printed cratonne; bright flowers on a dark ground'; and white chrysanthemums were strewn lavishly upon it. The folds of the swaddling clothes were The Company shall have a first turned saids to show the dead man's face—and paramount lien upon all the a face paler than in life young and peaceful, shares of any shareholder for all with fine and clean out features. The monies due to the Company either: photographing done, the face was covered. from him alone or jointly with the bier was put into the hearse, the crowd

PROCESSION OVER THE DOWNS. Through the pretty village of Patcham, each shareholder (whether solely brand-new hut or hyre, it would have been resignation as Consul General." or jointly, with others) and upon incongruous enough with its setting of Mr. Angeloff has stated his views on the

At the foot of the hill on which it stood | "England is my adopted country," Mr. no equitable interest in any share the vehicles stopped the mourners clamber- . Angeloff went on "and England has always shall be created except upon the ed out of the ambulances, and with much been the friend of Bulgaria as of every footing and condition that Clause chattering and gesticulating began to take small and specially of every oppressed 33. hereof is to have full effect. the body from the hearse. In time (for all nationality. As I have already said I could, 'And such list shall extend to all the deremony was conducted with an odd not believe that events would load to mixture of cheerful disorder, strict ritual, breach of good relations with this country. and absorbed devotion) the procession I know from conversation with other began to climb the hill, the mourners Bulgarians, from the highest to the lowest, chanting as they went: Ram Ram sitys that they agree with me that England has hai: Om ka nam satya hai "-Vedic verses always wished the welfare of Bulgaria. I telling of the eternal and single truth of would especially like to point out that the Name. And just then the sun came Great Britain, in her championship of the

and we passed inside a little enclosure, honest and durable goods to the peasantry except as ordered by a Court of where stood three platforms of coment, of Bulgaria, whereas Germany sends showy Competent jurisdiction, or as by One of these was carefully swept and an I worthless goods."

Ordinance required, be bound to sprinkled with water; and when thus "What especially a recognise any equitable or other purified for the recaption of the dead, it Mr Angeloff in concluding. Is that Bulon the part of any other person, ing. The body, under its bright pall and bination on the side of Tuzkey from whom 6 m, Company or Corporation, the chrysauthemums, lay out-ide on the we were liberated after a slavery and That the heading of Articles Nor. gras y slope; when the preparations had tyrapny of five hundred years, and whose 94 to 99 (inclusive) of the Com- been made the mourners gathered sound it. merciless rule is well illustrated by the pany's Articles of Association read. It was sprinkled with cleansing water: the cruel butchery of hurrireds of thousands of "ing :- the" Secretary be alt red face was exposed again, and houey and helple a Armen ans. " so as to read the General ghee, and minute portions of the eight "Manager"; and that in the last metals, and other ritual things were passed "mentioned Articles (Nos., 94 to 99 | between the pale lips. Then the mourners " inclusive) wherever the word guthered round in a semicircle; and squat-Secretary' appears such word bo ting on their haupches, with their hands "climinated and that in lieu the roof folded and their eyes downcast, chanted "the words 'General Manager' be their sing song chants, now shrill, now soft,

now a murmur, and then a shout. RITUAL OF THE PYRE.

At last came the time of the burning and the ceremony of havan which accompanies The preparations had been long and complicated; for the ritual demands the right use of four kinds of things : odoriferous things, nutritive things, sweet things, 'and eurative medicines. Some had been melting ghee, some preparing the raising. the a monds, and other food. When al was ready the body was laid on the pyre and over it and round it were heaped more and more blocks of wood and much straw. Then crystals of campbor were lighted in a spoon on the end of a long pole; and when they were flaming well were poured. on the centre of the pyre. A flame leapt up. A torch made of straw and camphor was lighted at this flame, and applied to the four corners : melted ghee was poured here and there, and soon the whole pyre was ablaze, And while it burned the mourners kept tossing upon it little pinches

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of gree mixed with grains and fruit, scent, the friends of the dead man go back, they will find nothing but perhaps a few fragashen And some of these swhen they will take back to the hospital, whi ro they will be put into a little wooden coffer bearing the dead man's name. And in time the coder will be sentilte his family in India. return home; to be sprinkled on the breast

BHANGHAI'S ROLL OF HONOUR.

of some Indian stream.

and Lieut, E. J. Hayward.

We regret to announce (says the " N. Daily News" of the 22nd inst.) that men has died on the field of honeur. On Sunday morning Mr and Mrs J. Hayward received a telegram from the War Office stating that their son, 2nd ieut. E. J. Hayward, Royal Fusiliers, was killed in action on November 12.

The late officer was born in West China and was educated at the China Inland Mi-sion Scho la at Chefoo and at the Whirgife Grammar School, Croydon. On leaving school he spent a brief period in Martin's Bank, Loudon, and then, in 1911, returned to China to join Mesers But that is by the way. The dead man Mackenz's and Co, Ld, Shanghai, Soon was not a combatant, but one of the per- after the outbreak of war he volunteers onnel. The funeral, therefore, lacked the I r active service, and left here with the picturesque element of wound d men as Atsuta Maru contingent on October 31, bearers. But he was a Brahman, and of 1914.—Ater a short period of training with the Arya Samaj. There are many of his kind in the personnel; and so instead of the usual single ambulance wagon there wars three full of mourners; and instead took the machine gunnery course at Hy he. and for some time was machine gun officer of livbattalion.

2nd Lieut. Hayward was ordered to Gallipoli in September last to join the 2nd Buttalion of the Royal Fusiliers, and latters have been recently received from him from Malta and "at the base," but there was nothing to indicate where that The last letter to hand from him wan dated October 9.

Mr Hayward joined the Maxim Co. .V.C. soon after his return to China and was a keen member of the Deluge Company of the Fire Brigade, besides being an active member of several of our Sports Clubs. The sympathy of a large circle of friends in Shanghai will be extended to Mr and Mrs Hayward.

BULGARIAN CONSUL RESIGNS.

Protest Against His Country's Decision.

intensely English with its church and its The Consul General for Bulgaria in duckpond, this strange funeral procession Manchester (Mr. Jeseph , ngeloff) the the eliminated in its entirety, and went, till the road changed to a steep only Bulgarian consul in England—has that in lieu thereof the following track; and before long the mutors left he resigned his office. The following is the "new Article be inserted as Article track and took their heavy way over the taxt of a telegram that he went to the soit turf in a fold of the downs. Soon Prime Minister of Bulgaria: "If reported The Company shall have, a first there came into sight a very ugly little alliance of Bulgaria with our eternal and paramount lien upon all the screen and shelter of corregated iron! Had enemies and persecutors against our "abarus registered in the name of it been what it so med, some shepherd's liberator be true, I protest and tender my

the proceeds of sale thereof, for lonely slopes, dotted with gorse and sweet outbreak of war. "It will be be said, his debts, liabilities and engage- with thyme. But being what it is, it is so "a most unpopular war. Now that the ments, and a lely or jointly with incongruous that there is no English word army is mobilised and prepared for action any other person, to or with the for it; and but a short time ago to find its I can only believe that the Bulgarian \*Company, whether the period for paralled one must have journeyed thou a nation is imbued with the idea that it is the payment, fulfilment or sands of miles. For this was the burning fighting, not against England or Russia,

but against Serbia through the fog, and round us lay the freedom of the Balkan Statis, has had no Sussex Dawns in characteristically English mat rial interests to serve. It is true that Great Britain has much trade with Bulgaria. The gates of the ghat were unlocked, But why is that? It is because she sends



ACCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUGTION. THE Undersigned have received instruc

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## THE DIARY.

MEMO. FOR TO-MORROW. 2.30 p.m. - Auction of Household Furni-

ture at No. 10 Arbuthnet Road.

General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, December 3 -" Noon.-China Fire Insec. Co's. Extra ordinary General Meeting.

SITUEDLY, Dec. "4 :--Insurance | Society Noon :- Union

Ext nordinary Meeting. 12.15 p m.-China, Trader's Extraor-

dinary Meeting.

SATURDAY, Dec. 11 :-Royal H. K. Yachte Club's ... " Ladies'

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### NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Twelve gamblers were each fined \$3 by Mr Lindsell at the Police Court this

cases at the Police Court to-day against Chinese holders of wine and spirit licences for failing to exhibit the number of their licence in a conspicuona place,

are reminded that Mr Tickle will delives o'cleck. The lecture will be accompanied Amory W. Anderson, and H. Doughty. assistance of a Japanese expest has been secured. Members may invite friends.

signare mile, stands pre-eminant, and the pecially Pall Mall, where the clubs are'. country from his practice in London, told visitor that he used to go round hie-tate every morning wondering which tree the deceased. Wong Pan, that he had would be the best to hang himself from, stolen some thing. The prisoner said Boredom proceeds from within. There is it was not for Wong Pan to make no escape from it anywhere.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

morning from a trip to North China. Editor of the "Hongkoog Daily Press," is another instance of the splendid has been appointed Manager-Editor of the

Mr G. C. Mozon and Mr G. Hastings

Mr Moberley Bell, a member of the Shanghai Bar, is a passenger by th successful conclusion. Sir h Robert h Katori Maru," now in port. Mr Bell is

### FORTECOMING LOCAL MARRIAGES.

The following announcements of forth-

Paul's College, Chaplain to the Bishop of Victoria, to Miss Margaret Louisa Morri. it would be necessary to apply three son, en route from Home.

No. 8, Leighton Hill Road, to Miss. lings. on the Karhmir.

Gwondelin Neal, Buckinghamshire, Eng. on the aspect of the case.

It is expected that the Competition will he co-cluded by tiffic-time, but teams refreshment if required.

10th for route march to Wastern Police

District. Uniform caps, and covers, and VISITIVE PATROLS, CESTELL DISTRICE. 11th, 18th, 21st, 28th, 31st.

Inspect of Wilden: December 5 h, 10th 15c , 20th, 25th, 30th. Crown-Sergeant McEwen : - December d, 9th, 13th, 19th, 23rd, 29th.

Thursday, Dec. 2nd-Recruits of and 4th Platones, No 1 Company and No 3 Company. 2nd Platoons, No 1 Company and of No 2 even by to stem it. The French were on that obtains with regard to foodstuffs.

Monday, Dec. 6th-As on Thursday, Tuesd y, Dec. 7th-As on Friday, Dec.

(Sgd.) F. C. Terris. D. S. P. (Beserve).

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## CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

DOUBLE MERDER TRIAL

Jealousy among "Beys" at West Point

At the Criminal Sessions to-day before he Chief Justice (Fir Wan Roce Davice) Li Piu, a house boy employed at a brothel in West Paint, was placed on trial on the first of two charges of wilful murder. Prisoner was also charged with attempted

The Crown Solicitor (Mr P. M. Hodgson) prosecuted and prisoner was represented by Mr C. G. Alabaster (instructed by Mr F Mason, of Mesers D'Almada & Mason) The special jury was empanelled as Messrs W. D. Bell (foroman) A. O. Lang.

G. P. da Cruz, P. O. Roza, R. E. indictment, pleaded guilty and Mr Alabaster asked his Lordship to take the usual course and enter a plan of not guilty.

The Chief dustice informed the prisoner that he was represented by counsel and the proper course would be for him to take.

The Crown Solicitor said the prisoner occupied a room, along with nine others. on the third floor of a brothel at West Print During the night of October 30th the occupants were awakened by shouting and screaming and prisoner was observed to be a raggling with the deceased. Miner had seknife in his hand wrapped in a handke chief. He was running amok threatening to stab anybody. He stabbed we other persons. While it was not is cen ary for the f'rown to prove a motive, the Crown Solicitor thought there was evidence in the case in that the prisoner took exception to an accusation by one of any su ges lon of theft against him; if anybedy had the right to accuse him it was the mister. A month pravious, the mistress of the brothel mentioned to the accused that a customer had lost a tooth pick but that may or may not have had any thing to do with the motive for the

Evidence was then called for the Crown. Mr Izer, of the P. W. D., proved plans of the floor on which the alleged murder took place and Dr MacFarlane proved that the blood stains on a knife produced were

manalian blood. An attendant at the brotnel described the exception of one who filled to appear, how he saw Wong Pan lying on a bed covered with blood. He walked up to the bed and the prisoner rushed at him and cut him on the face with a knite.

Interrogated by Mr. Alabaster, witness said prisoner was trying to kill everybody within reach, without reason.

ittle to say, said witness, answering the Chief. Justice.

accused's mind occupied the attention the Court for a considerable time. Dr. Moore said it might be that when a man killed the first man he would be perfectly same but if he was interfered

with he would be likely to hurt anyone Mr. Alabaster: Most of the text books

on impulsive insanity of that kind showed charged. that it was due more or less to epilepsy in origin and to ascertain that satisfactorily tests. The first, his family history, but the man's personal history, which they knew very little about. His Lordship had elicited that the secused was one of those morose, sullen, quiet sort of people who did occasionally break out in those proved, the act itself and the surround.

red in Chambers with the Crown Solici-Tor, Courisel for defence and Dr. Moore,

Re-entering Court, his Lordslup announced it was the invariable practise in England to have expert opinion on the man's mind, as far as possible at the time he committed the murder. It was necessary" that the jury in that case should have all the evidence available and his Lordship adjourned the Court until Friday morning at 10.30 in order that an examination of the accused might be made by the Medical Officer of the Gael in conjunction with Dr. Moore,

## THE FRENCH ATTACH. German Tribute.

them into their trenches. Then when we cases of typhoid in Jone, has increased it tried to retire to our communication treu- 560. Siece the outbreak of the epidemie ches we found ourselves surrounded, and 31 persons have died from typhoid. could neither retreat nor fight, especially as long range guns were battering our rear, I was sheltared with some few survivors of my battery in a dirg-out, but we had with us a French dog which, when it heard you coming, barked and gave us away." When taken by your men we found some of your. rear trenches still so full of tear bombs gas that the tears poured down my checks. On the whole the French Attack was well organized. Their artillery is very powerful now and the soldiers very brave.

the attack, as we had always thought our positions impregnable. But at the conclusion the young officer

What surprised us was the impetuosity of

## THE MURDER AT

THREE CRINESE CHARGED.

Three Chinese were charged before M. Hazeland at the Magistracy this afternoon with the murder of a Chinese near Abdr. doen on the night of November lat... : Mr.T. H. King. Deputy Superintendent of Police, said the facts shortly were that there had been theits of vegetables from the village of Wong Chuk Hang near Abordeon. On the night of Novem'en 1st there was a noise of fighting and shouting and a man came to the Police Station reporting that a certain man had stolen vegetables. The police wont down and found a basket of vegetables, and, aboutsix yards away, the deceased lying on the ground still conscious. Removed to the Police Station, he was asked, in the presence of the first two defendants, who had beaten him, and mentioned all the defendants by name. All the defendants made statements. The first said he heard a noise and wis called up by his wife, but it was all ever when he got there. The second man admitted striking the deceased because he had stolen regetables. The third dofendant denied all knowledge of affair, saying he was not there

all. Deceased was alleged to have been atruck with bamboo poles, three of which were found near the scene of the attack. He (Mr King) thought the charge would probably be reduced to manalanghter. Defendants were found at the place inmediately afterwards. Decrased was a been employed with him. He suspected that defendants knew who the thief and wanted to give him a good trouncing but went too far. Death was due

Evidence was then given.

### THIRTY-NINE CHINESE LICENSIES BEFORE THE MAGISTRATE.

At the Police Court this morning before Mr Lindsell, P. C. J. Arnold (Reservasummoned the licencess of thirty-nine Chin se wine and spirit shops for failing to exhibit the numbers of their licenses before their promises. All the defendants, with pleaded guilty and 35 were each fined \$5, one being fined \$10. The other twodefendants, withough pleading unity to the charge, stated that the Police had given them permission to keep their licence

bo rds inside their shops. Police Scrat. Cockle said that, acting on. Inspector, he had given defendants per- restricted the invitations considerably. mission to exhibit their signs inside their stores, but that since the summonaes had The question of the state of the been served the boards were placed outside. P.C. Arnold drew his Worship's a ten tion to the conditions of the licenses and the wording of the Ordinance, in which it was specifically stated that the licence boards must be conspicuously exhibite. outside the licenced premises. In view of the action of the Regular Police in allowing the Ordinance to be contravened, he aske t his Wors' ip's permission to withdraw these two summonses and difendants were dis-

## REVOLT AGAINST FOOD PRICES.

Growing Discontent In Germany.

The effects of the war as regards the high prices of food are being keenly felt in epileptic frenzies. The third test was the Sol ngen district, where the wives of one which Counsel submitted he had men at the front are agitating to obtain more gonerous rates of sub-istance. On Thursday last, writes an Amsterdam correspondent on Uctober 18, a crowd of At this point the Chief Justice confer- 2001 women made a demonstration before the lown Hall at Wald, near Solingen. A deputation of five women was received the Burgomaster, who promised to provide potatoes and coals at reasonthie prices. The women not being content elected a new deputation, which will address itself to the Landrat. A similar demonstration took place at Weyer, near

Serious disturbances are reported from Ohlige. Here become sold by a municipal committee, but last Wednesday the wellto-do public were able to buy-their become before the wives of soldiers had been paid their maintenance money, so that power women were unable to obtain a supply. Several of the women who had made pure' area were attacked by those who had boan disappointed. Finally, the authoritios decided to arrange for three stalls where bacon will be exclusively sold to soldiers' wives. Ar Solingen the situation is also very aggravated in this respect.

On Friday last about six hundred women demonstrated before the Town Hall at A German ensign in the 19th Artillery Chemnitz, in Sax my, in connexion with Regiment, taken prisoner in Champagne, the high prices of butter. Shortly after and now into ned at Marseilles, has made three hundred women went in procession the following unusually frank and full to the co-operative milk stores, where a statement, for a German officer in cap deputation of the women was received by tivity: "I was with my hattery between I the committee, which promised to lower Perthes and Tahure. We knew we were to I the price of butter. The committee of the be attacked, but were persuaded that our Social Democratic section of the Berlin position was impregnable, and we awaited municipality has placed on the Agenda an the attack in absolute confidence. I was interpellation as to what steps the civic observer for a battery of 77 millimètre suthorities will take against the insuff x guns When the bombardment began we able increase in the prices of all necessary replied vigorously, But your aeroplanes did foodstuffs " A deputation representing marvellous work, and found us out with the Committee of the Berlin Trade Unions | constions : Mr. R. M. Dyer (Convener), astopishing precision. Your gaufire raged is to be received by the Chief Burgomaster Mr A. Forbas, Mr G. Duncan. for eighty hours. It was infernal. One of Berlin in connexion with the same counted two shells bursting per second. Our grievance. The General Committee of Robertson and, by kind permission of Lt. men in their dug outs were literally de- German Trade Unions and the Committee Colonel Watson and officers, the pipe moralized. All the men of my battery of the German Social Democratic Party of the 74th Punjable played outside the e killed, except a dozen captured. have sent's petition to the German Impe. before the country, which, I fancy, will be considered.

When your attack came it was so rapid vial Chancellor urging measures against the interval. When your attack came it was so rapid it is Chancelor urging measures against the that we were overwhelmed before we could constant increase of prices and extortion

us while our guns were still fring over this officially stated that the number of

## A COTTON MYSTERY.

Pakin, Oct. 21. A traveller just returned from a trip into the interior reports the existence of twent put is being sold to Germans." He says that Germans are superintending plantation. - Exchange Talegraph.

+ The travellor apparently did a not find out how Germany hopes to get this to leave the box but said they would have

## ST. ANDREW'S DAY.

CELEBRATION IN HONGKONG.

Crosses of St. Andrew at the entrance and in the centre of the circle, heraldic devices at the top of each post wreathed; in blue and white, drapings of Macdona'd Tartan, bunting, poluse, thewere and foliage. -all to gay profusion and strictically arranged-made the City Hall and Theatre Royal a gay place last negler for the concert of the Houghong St. Andrew's Society in sid. of Souttish charities. The concert, taking the place of the customary ball, was a prest success in every way, the ball being filled with an enthusiastic andience. A huge illuminated St. Andrew's Cro s. composed of evergree a with a gilt lion rampand in the centre, was arected on the lacade of the hall, while the corridors and audito ium ware treated in armorial groupings and displays of foliage. The stage

was set as a garden terrace, The concert, of course, was excellent There were "Reminiscences of Scotland" by the Band of the 74th Punjable, whose scarled in the orchestra. They also played "The Kiltie's Courtship, and, perhapbest of all, the "Wee MacGregor," fine highland patrol that came from theatre conductor's pen. Then there was American Story of an Execution a strathspey and reel of tulloch, well danced by Mosers K. R. Macaskill J. D. Kinnaird, D. G. Nicoll and Fr Soutar, with Mr Adam Gray as piper; stirring b gpipe selections by Mesers P. Douglas Wilson and Adam. Gray; and a Highland fling and other dances by little Miss. Mary Hyde, who had ingtom. an enthusiastic reception. But perhaps the most appreciated items came from Mr F. Soutar, who as a braw lassic sang "I wish I had someone to love me" wi h a lift of the eye, a droop of the voice and a twinkling of the feet that moved the salience to joyous mirth. He was equally successful in "I took the prize," "the Wedding of Sandy MacNab" and "A Wes Deoch and Dorie." Mr H. E. Muriel was heard to advantage in. "The Rorder Ballad" "Marching Home," and Mr H. I. Jones in "For Scotland and the King" and "hing Charles." Mrs. Villiers Smythe secured s good reception for " Loch Levin." "Send him hame," and, with Mr Villiers Smythe, for ... I'll make a man of you. while Mrs Riddeli gave pleasure by her rendering of "Son of Mine" and "Till the Boys come Home" as did Mesers J. N.

Allen, F. Cray, W. Brown and J. Smith. by several quartettes. Mr George Grimble was an admirable accompanist. During an interval Major Macdonald. the President of the Society, who was "piped" on to the stage, said that at the annual meeting of the Society it was again decided, owing to present conditions, to calebrate St. Andraw's Day by a concert in aid of Scottish charities, and he was glad to may that the sum of \$2650 would be available for that purpose. As President of the Society, he would like to express regret that circumstances did not admit of their extending the usual hospitality Previously prisoner was quiet and had instructions from the Chief Detective their quests, and that the limited space they had endeavoured to do the best wit the space at their disposal and hoped for the speedy return of happier times.

might be that the question of enlarging those halls would be seriously taken mito consideration, and then they would be able entertain all their guests. customary telegrams had been kindred societies in and they had received the following Amoy. Amoy Brither Foots heartily ociprocata.

Bangkok .- Heartiest greetings prither Scots. Graham, Chieftain. Ties tein.-Chief Jameson and Tientsin brither Scots send hearty greatings. Here's tae us: Bryson, Secretary:

Cebu - Greetings from Chu Scots. brither | er to. Wilson, Presiden .

Calcutta. - Here's tar your concert. Sutherland (laughter). "Manila,-Chief Reith and brither Scuts of Manila send greetings. Maismith Conton. Canton brither Scots return hearty greetings. Shields.

Yokonama, Chief Alston and briths. Scots sent a greetings. Machaughton. Singapore - Heartiest greatings from the President: Mr Frank Adam, and the committee .- 4. BF. McClure, Secretary.

Shanghai, President Putrick and brither Scots reciprocate greetings. Porter, Secre-Continuing, the President said he had just one other word towny. He wished on behalf of the Society to express their

Among those present were :- H.E. the it reach the ground, in which the engine Povernor. Lady May, and Miss Phoene bored to about 31 to to fit. May, Major General Ventri-, Sir W. Rees. Davies, Hon. Mr. Claud Savern. Vice-Admiral Austruther, Col. Darling, Lt.-Col. out of the c'oud until all was over. Our Hes, Commander Beckwith, Bishop Lander.

Mrs Linder, etc. The f. Howing committee carried out the arrangements :- Presidente Major Donald MacDonald. H K V.C.: Vic . Presid no Mr G. W. Young : Hon, Secretary Lair however, and our V. returned eafe half an Henderson; Hon. Treasurer: Mr M. hour later." A. Murray : Committee : Mr R. M. Dyer. Dr C. Forsyth. Mr A. Forbes, Mr W. Jack. Mr R. Sutherland. Music: Mr G. M. Young (Convener), Dr. Forsyth, Capt. C. Campbell, Mr F. Souter, Mr S. Gray, Mr W. Brown, Mr R. Henderson. De-. The sconery and lights were by Mi

## EXEMPTION OF JURYMEN.

Two special jurors, called this morning to serve in a trial of a Chinese for murder, | One only crossed, I have no doubt to asked the Chief Justice for leave to leave ascertain what had become of his the box owing to pressure of business and comtemporary, its escort bovering just

police reserve duty.... was placed at a good deal of difficulty. He from anti-aircraft and machine guns, and had had numerous applications and as far quickly turned, I think without succeeding as possible, he had siways tried to meet in its quest." the gentlemen of the jury where they were Mr. O. da Roza, one of the applicants.

mentioned that he was engaged in liquidafour cotton plantations, whose entire our- tion business on behalf of the Government, and Mr. G. P. Owen, the other applicant. gold his Lordsoip he was busily engaged upon important foreign shipments. The Chief Justice allowed the two jurous to be ready to sit next week.

## KWANGTUNG FLOOD RELIEF FUND.

The Tung Wa Hospital begs to solutions. ledge with thanks the following donathous to the Ewangtung Flood Relief Funds-

The Chinese National Party at Trinidad B W. I. 30 darn' Por Kwong Rue Wing, Cook-Mun Ming Kole, Perak

> 4,191.84 Already acknowledged ... 588,104.86

Less amount subscribed but not \$579,046,70

Hongkout, D.c. 1, 1915.

## THE MASTER SPY.

## in the Tower.

The master spy of Germany has been shot in the Tower of London, or at least thas is the opinion generally held in Wash-

"He wens under the name of Franz correspondent of the "Morning Post" he was more important and more dangerous than Count Bornstorff, Herr Dernburg, Dr. Albert, Captain von Papen, Captain Boy-Ed, or any of the other agents, and was in direct communication with the very highest

personages in Germany. He was taken off a Dutch vessel in New York, on which he had secured passage under cover if a fraudulent American passport, and it was discovered that hu

was the man who induced General Auerta to attempt another revolution in Mexico. Rintelin avidently learned that his part in the plot was known, for he attempted to return to Germany, and through the connivance of another German now in custody in New York secured a passport to England which r p esented him as an

It was while on this voyage that he was arrested by the British authorities.

## CLOUD AMBUSH.

British Ariator's Hand of Existing

"The fight was a very protiguous indeed." writes a quartermisster-sergeant. of an aeroplane duel, to the Scottman. " We saw the German machine-an Aviatik biplans-circling round on our ight about five miles behind our lines. was being very heavily shelled by our gung. one of our machines. a 'Vickers Fighter biplane, which I had just previously seen going over the German lines, and, sure shough, there it was speeding back and flying comparatively low to the German's 5,000 to 6,000 feet up. It came out of a sories straight for the German. However, by the neuten twist imaginable, it swung round almost on a pivot and flew back intothe cloud, rising very rapidly. The sound

fract of the engine grow fainter, and still more "We heard it returning, still in the clouds, which led slightly away from the German, by this time about a quarter of a mile behind us The Vickers was going. very fast, and at a good height, be seemed still to be climbing. The engine was going spieudidly, droning like a bea. we meard it turn on full speed; it became just a

great rapid hom. DEMPTING OTHERS TO DEATH,

" Wory suddenly it appeared out of the cloud going full tilt at the German; which was below it and shead. By this time the Aviatik had headed off at a great speed. which was uttorly fatile, as our Vickers simply everhauled it hand over foot (to use an Irishism.) It appeared to be tr-velling at twice the German's speed. The German opened firs just a second before us, and the following twenty or thirty seconds were intensely exciting, nithough, as wways happens, we had absolutely no doubt as to the final result, so very great, is our

feith in our airmen. " Kat tat - both machine-gunswers going. heartfelt thanks to all those who had cone when the German suddenly heeled over, tributed by song, dance and music that and fell smoking to the ground. At first night to the success of their concert he did not appear to fall quickly, and justfor the moment I thought it was a trick. The telegram sent from the local Society reclising almost simultaneously this wasto Yokohama, Tsingtau, Manila, Kobe, not the case, as I saw half a wing sailing Tientsin, Cebu, Nag saki, Shaoghai, Han- away by steelf. This was found later kow, Amoy, Wei Hai-Wei, Banghok, Sings- actually 21 miles from where the machinepore, Penang and Canton was vin the struck the earth. Perhaps for the first following terms :- President Macdonald 1,000 ft. the machine fell slantingly, but and Brither Scots send greatings, Hander- for the remaining 5,000 it dropped like at stone, andiabout three seconds or less saw

Levs than a minute (33 seconds) elapsed from the time the Vickers came marchine lowered, circling; then flew off. and back ever the German lines to resumeits reconnaissance, or perhaps temps. another German to a fate skin to that of fits antagonist. The Germans kept groundi

## DEADILY SHOOTING.

"I roshed over to the German machine. and was second on the spot; a French farm Inbourer pear at hand being before me. Both Germans were dead.

.. The engine was not hadly damaged considering the distance it had fallen, and a perfect beauty of a little machine gun. quite sound, added further to the value of the trophy. The Vickers gumman is credited with having brought down one German in must be absolutely deadly. He must have the art of ranging as a sixth sense ; he secures the distance seemingly immediately he opens fire.

"Some four hours later three German machines rose and came towards our lines. behind the Gorman lines. It flew very The Chief Justice observed that the Court fact, but was met by a perfect fusillade

## THE CHILDREN'S COLDS.

WATCH the children's colds and cure them before the worken the vitality. Use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely. To is perfectly safe. It has been tested by chamista and pronounced from from in jurious substances, and costs but a triffe. For sale by all Unemiate and Storaksepers.

THE BEST WEEKLY NEWS-IN HONGKONG AND CHINA GENERALLY

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, Dec. 1, 1915

China Mail.

LOYALTY TO THE BRITISH.

Sir Robert Ho Tung's gift o \$50,000, placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Governor for "purposes in connection with war," loyalty felt by Britons overseas for the the British Government, of their belief in the righteousness of the cause in which we entered the conllich, and of their willingness to assist in every way to support the Govern-

ment to prosecute the war on it

Ho Tung, is a British subject; one going home to join the Arm y who has been honoured by His Majesty the King and one who is deservedly held in high esteem by his fellow-countrymen of Hongkong, in which Colony Sig Robert was born. Such generous actions as these have been, as is well-known, by no means confined to any particular part of the Empire. India, the Straits Settlements and elsewhere have

shown many such loyal and generous Mr. B. A. Beaumont, mercantile assist they had been unable to apply that test; acts; and they all speak eloquently of ant, residing at "Braeside," Hougkong, to Miss Virginia Mary Conner, of Shameen, the faith and trust that is very Canton. properly placed in the Government in the Miss Ethel Cullen Ferry, of Plymouth, these critical times." The support England. that has been rendered and the deep and answerving loyalty shown by Sydney. N.S.W. those who are not British subjects but who know what it means to live Julia Maude Barry, en routs from Home under the wise and benign jurisdiction of the British, has also been a bright and pleasing feature in these unsettled there for all the world to see. nullifies entirely the mendacious at- | be provided on the range. tempts of our enemics to spread

times. Many members of various nationalities living within the Emipire have responded with readiness and, when possible, with genero-ity to the peculiar needs that the war has brought about "Such-loyalty-is reports of discontent and intrigue in should make their own arrangements for certain parts of the Empire. There have been, as was but to be expected, aboutive successes on the part of enemy agents to fomeat trouble,; but these are scarcely worth recalling cites except to point out their insignificance and to prove, by comparison, linw, splendidly loyal all having any cornection whatever with the British have been to the British Empire's determination to triumph completely in the great task to which she is pu'-

that will be made of his generous gift, for, as we have pointed out, they are a proof of the steadfast faith held in the British Empire and of the splendid loyalty that prompts it.

ting forth her strength. Actions such

ns those of Sir Robert Ho Tung are

worth infinitely more than the results

that will be obtained from the use

LICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL The Hon. Treasurer of the Ali Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospitals :-

Old Clothes Dealers Guild ..... \$30

P. J. Vasania ... " ... ... ... 11

THE BEST COUGH MEDICINE. MILAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remody is

Special police constable Arnold had 41

Members of the European Y.M.C.A. lecture on "Jlujitsu", to-right at by demonstrations, for which purpose the

"A "Lonely Subaltern" advortises for correspondence on the pleathat he is stationed. "in the most boring part of England." Which is the most boring part of England It depends. For sheer loneliness West moorland, with its eighty persons to the are unfrequented corners in Dartmoor; but on the other hand people have beer bored in Fleut-street and Pall Mall (es-Astley Cooper, when he retired to the

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hale returned this Mr. Hale, who was for many years

returned yesterday from a successful sporting trip up the Yangteze.

coming weddings are posted at the Re gistrar's Office The Rev. W.T. Featherstone, of St

Mr. R. N. Hatrick, merchant, of Manila. Mr. W. E. Harston, suctioneer, of Hankow, to Miss Margaret Swarbrick, of Mr. Harry Stainfield, marine engineer,

Mr. E. G. Norman, engineer, No. 7a. Cauton Road, Shanghai, to Miss Rosa

HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE Blue uniform, and helmets with white mushroom tops will be worn. Rifles will

All ranks will parade at Central Police tration at 9.00 p.m. sharp on Friday, Dec.

Inspector Hynes: - December 1st, 6th Inspector Taylor :- D. cember 2nd, 7th, 2ch, 17th, 22ad, 27th.

.. Orown-Sorgovat Witchell : - December 4th, 8th, 14th, 18 h, 24th, 28th. Sergeant-Major Roylance and Crown-Sergeant Langley will make arrangements to occasions ly visit the Western District

lock isw or blood poison resulting For sale by all Ohemists and Storekespers. | victory

## ABERDEEN.

## BY TELEGRAPH.

## THE WAR.

## INDICATIONS-OF-IMPORTANT ENEMY TROOP MOVEMENTS.

## GREAT SECRECY BEING OBSERVED.

LORD KITCHENER RETURNS TO LONDON.

REPORTED STATEMENT OF HIS LORDSHIF ON GERMAN BALKAN CAMPAIGN.

TReuter's Service to the China Mail. ]

## IMPORTANT GERMAN TROOP MOVEMENTS.

ROTTERDAM, Nov. 30 ... There are indications that important German troop movements have

saken place on the Western front. Truffic is congested in west and south-west Germany, from which parts no newspapers have reached Holland for four days. There has also been a strict German watch on she German-Dutch border to provent news leaking out.

## LORD KITCHENER,

LORD KITCHENER AND THE BALKAN CAMPAIGN.

ATHENS, Nov. 30. Lord Kitchener is reported the have remarked: "Germany's Balkan wampaign does not constitute a military operation. It presents: the aspect of a political coup. "...

### PROLONGED INTERVIEW WITH FRENCH PREMIER.

Panis, Nov. 30.0 13rd Kitchener had a prolonged interview with M. Briand, the Premier.

## RETURNS TO LONDON.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

Lord Kitchener has returned to London.

## SIR THEODORE MORRISON.

Loxden Nov. 30. Sir Theodore Morrison, K.C.EE. (member of the Council of India) has accepted a commission and has been posted for training to the Cambridgeshires with a view of employment with the Indian troops. The Times says that when the work of the Royal Commission on Indian Public Services was finished Sir Theodore tendered his resignation, but the Secretary of State for India desired him to return to the Indian Council. The statute does not provide for a temporary resignation and any fresh appointment would have to be for a full term. I law does not permit of a variation of salary but at Sir Theodore's requestit has been arranged that two-thirds of his salary shall be refunded to the Indian revenues while he is on service. The Times adds that as a result of the appointment of a committee under the presidency of Lord Islington to scrutinise expenditure in the India Office, retrenchments have, been effected.

## BULGARIAN COMMUNIQUE.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 30. A Bulgarian communique admits that the Serbians destroyed their heavy guns and field guns, but that they still retain their mountain gens.

THE BALKANS.

BUCHAREST, Nov. 80.

Three Austrian regiments have arrived at Rustchuk,

CIVILIANS EVACUATE MONASTIR.

SALONIRA NOV. 30. Civilians have evacuated Monastir. So far, there is no news of Bulgarian

Snow is still falling in the Balkans.

PORTUGAL WANTS YESSELS FOR HER COAST.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 30. Portugal is endeavouring to purchase six four-hundred ton vessels guard the Portuguese coast.

GERMAN SUBMARITE REPORTED DYNAMITED.

LONDON, Nov. 30.

THE P. AND O.

Half Yearly Report.

London, Nov. 30. The half yearly report of the a serious loss in the fall of securities Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navi-; in which their reserves were invested. gation Company states, that there Two mail steamers are being conis a balance of £500,000 of which structed, but they will not be come £78,000 will be carried forward. The pleted for a considerable time as the report records the loss of the Nile, builders are occupied with Governthe Nubia and the India. The cost ment work. Instead of investing in of the last-named fulls on the Gov- new tonnage the Directors have ernmont as she was requisicioned. placed the money in War Loan and no parcolics or injurious substances. . For Two of the older steamers, the Arca- Treasury Bills.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.) I'dia and the Oriental, have been sold." The running expenses have enormously increased. The rates of charvery moderate, while the insurance against war risk has cost a quarter, the Burgomas or of Vienna, of a million. The company suffered

## BY TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH.

GAMBLING ON THE JAPANESE STOCK EXCHANGE.

Tokio, Nov. 30. The Stock Exchange has been sus pended for three days owing to wild gambling ductuations-organised by a ring which is duily spreading sensational rumours.

PORTUGUESE; POLITICS.

M. Gaspar.

LISBON, Nov. 30. The new Ministry is as follows:-Premier and Minister of Finance, M Alfonso Costa; Foreign Minister, M. Sources; Minister Tor War, M. De Mattos and Minister for the Colonies,

BALKANS.

BULGARIANS GO OVER" TO BRITISH.

SALONIKA, Nov. 29. A small Sachian Army is heroscally maintaining itself to the south of Prilep. " The klulgarians are still hanging back in the region Krushevo, and there is only art occasional shelling of the Allied line.

belonging to a Philippopolis regis casualties among the German bombers. ment, which is composed largely of which is strongly opposed to the war, have come over to the British near Strumnitza, ...

GERMANS EXPECTED TO OPPOSE: RUSSIAN INVASION.

It is believed that Germans are proceeding to Bulgaria to support the Bulgarians in the event of a Russian

It is reported that the Bulgarians are withdrawing their troops from the Turkish frontier and are desputching them to their western front.

### BULGARIANS DESERTING.

PARIS, Nov. 30. The Serbs have not yet been attacked at Monastir. Snow is impeding the Bulgarians and numbers of the latter are deserting:

RUMANIAN KING ON THE COUNTRY'S DUTY.

Bycharest, Nov. 29. the world with blood continues around us with increasing bitterness. New States have now joined in, giving it ever-growing proportions. This situation imposes on Rumania more than ever the duty of uniting our efforts for the defence of our great interests. His Majesty asked Parliament to vote credits for the supply of the needs of " our beloved Army.

FAYOURABLE GREEK REPLY.

PARIS, Nov. 30. Official circles regard the Greck ing bodies and prisoners. reply as paving the way to the desixed settlement, and meeting the wish of Greece to remain neutral while not interfering with the intentions of the Allies!

ALLIED STEAMERS BUNK.

Panis, Nov. 29. The French steamers Algerian and Omarif and the British steamer Taitle have been sunk. Thirty persons are inissing from the Algerian. The crew of the Tunia has been landed.

KAISER VISITS AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN EMPEROR.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 30.

An official announcement from Vienna states that the Kaiser has arrived here.

Another telegram states that this will be the Kaiser's first meeting with King Francis Joseph since the

The Kniser was mot at the station by the Archduke Karl Franz Joseph, the heir to the throne, and two other Archdukes. He drove to the Schoebrun amid a cheering populace. two Emperors and the heir to the

throne lunched alone. The Kaiser was received by Foreign Minister, Dr. Burian, the Premier, Count Karl Stnergkh, and Count Tisza, and then proceeded. with the Austrian Heir Apparent to

tea at the Germany Embassy. He left Vienna in the evening, being given a farewell at the station. ter for the vessels commandeered are The Heir Apparent had previously received the Finance Minister and

UN ECESSARY WORDS."

TATHY waste surde and selvertising space in discribing the many points of morit in Chanderfain's Cough Benedy The most fasticions are satisfied when we state that it en real colds and chughe from any cause, and that it contains absolutely sale by all Chamists and Storekeepers.

BASTERN FRONT. YIOLENT FIGHTING.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 30. A communique states that there has been violent fighting in the Illusks region, where the Germans, after taking the offensive, were buried back till they were swept by the fire of their own batteries. Profiting by the situation the Russians counter-attacked and occupied a suburb and two cometries at Illuskt, and the German trenches beyond. A brilliant and sudden night-attack south-west of Pinsk resulted in the capture of the Commander of a German division, another General, and other officers. The enemy, were forced to retire west-ward of the left bank of the Styr, near Kozlintichi and Tchartorysk."

## WESTERN FRONT.

RÉPORT FROM SIR JOHN FRENCH

Field Marshal Sir John French reports that on the night of the 25th. a party forced an entrance into the enemy trenches near Gommacourt. They hand-granaded several deep dugouts full of Germans. We sprung a mine in front of Givenchy, destroying A number of Bulgarian soldiers two galleries. There were considerable

> was brought down, and a German serofactory at Chapelette were bombed. brought down five hostile aeroplanes. they ar Fourteen machines attacked Gits, and Jahad.

nineteen La Chapelette, considerable damage being done. All the machines returned safely. German aeroplanes, on the 28th dropped bombs on the coast, where a French-aeroplane brought-down a Corroan aeroplane. A British seaplane also brought down a German seaplane.

A SHARP FIGHT.

PARIS, NOV. 30. A communique states:-The enemy said :- The war which is drenching turned out of a mine crater which they position lower down the river. had been holding for two days. A French aeroplane in the Meuse district;... although forced to descend, was only slightly damaged, although it was heavily bombarded. The aviators are ante.

AIR REPRISALS.

Paris, Nov. 30. A communique states:-There has been grenade fighting in Artois, ""We defeated a German bayonet attack at Berry-au-Bac, the enemy fleeing, .. leav-

Four German aeroplanes bumbed Verdun, but did not do any material damage. -Five \_\_ French aeropianes effected reprisals on the station at Brienlies, cutting the line. A German train turned and fled.

NO PEACE TILL THE ALLIES TERMS ARE GRANTED.

LONDON, Nov. 30. Australian, New Zealand and Cansdian soldiers converted what was to have been an anti-conscription meeting in London into a demo stration which ultimately passed a resolution with enthusiasm for winning the war at any price. The Dominion troops early took possession of the platform, and appointed an Australian as chairman, Speech after speech followed, demanding no peace till the Allies terms are granted.

BRITISH ARMY PROMOTIONS.

LONDON, Nov. 30. The Gazelle autopuces the following promotions -to Brevet wank; Lieut Colonels R. Heard, R.A.M.C.; L. R. Kenyon, R.A., and T. E. Scot; Majore A. H. Harrison, 33rd Punjabis; T. M. Like and C. C. Palmer, B.A.; P. A. Maxwell, 18th Lancers; C. L. Norman. Guides; Captains P. H. Keem, 56th, Punjabis; A. W. Moens, 52nd Sikhs;

INDIA'S SPIRITUAL DESIRE.

and F. E. Talbot, 14th Sikha.

LONDON, Nov. 30. The Bishop of the Complesion Mission, in an address at St. Paul's Cathedral, said that there was a deep spiritual desire in India for a sight of God and a union with God, This was a characteristic which distinguished India among the nations. India had been disappointed in the desire of her inmost heart for 3,000 years, but she was becoming the land of hope. He proferred to speak of India's hope he lain's Cough remedy as may be required; rather than of India's claims, though she certainly had claims, while her soldiers were fighting with dura. But India did not regard such service as part of a bargain. She wanted not repayment but recognition.

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LORD KITCHENER.

ROME, Nov. 29.

Lord Kitchener visited parts of the Middle Isonzo front, where Gori-2ia is situated, also the lower Isonzo. The King received his Lordship at Hendquarters and personally conferred upon him the Grand Cross of

Paris, Nov. 29. Lord Kitchener has arrived in

Paris, Nov. 30. M. Poincare received Lord Kit chener this morning

GERMAN SUBMARINE DESTROYED.

LONDON, Nov. 301 Field-Marshal Sir John French reports that a British aeroplane destroyed, off Middlekerke, a German submarine, which was seen to break

## THE MESOPOTAMIAN CAMPAIGN:

More German Machinations.

Panis, Nov., 29., 8 Great efforts are being made by FIHE ONLY BOAT LEAVING AT 5 P.M. EVERY DAY. The "enemy's seroplanes were very the Young Turks and the Germans to men belonging to the Agrarian Party, active on the 28th. There were fifteen induce the Arabs to declare a Holy sir encounters. One German aeroplane | War against the British in Mesopotamia. High officials are stated to drome at Gits and an ammunition have left Constantinople two months ago with precious stones and money During the last few days we bom- as gifts and to be now with the barded various portions of the onemy's Amibe, whour they are trying to cortrenches. Hostile artillery have been rupt. " The chiefs and the sheikhs active east of Aveluy, north east of have given them a cold reception. Loos, east of Neura Chapelle, east of They consider the Young Turks Armentieres, and east of Ypres, A " freemasons and atheists," and the British air pilot, during a single fight, Kaiser "Giaour." Consequently they are unqualified to proach" at

### TURKISH LOSSES.

LONDON, Nov. 30. An official announcement states that the enemy's strength in the battle at Ctesiphon was estimated at four Divisions. Prisoners state that one Division was practically wiped out. Our observations confirmed this, but the approach of Turkish. reinforcements has been reported. General Townshend, having com lost appreciably north of the Lat Trinth | pleted the removal of the wounded The King, opening Parliament, in a sharp fight in which they were and prisoners, has withdrawn to a

## YIGOROUS ITABIAN OFFENSIVE.

ROME, Nov. 30. A communique states that there has been severe fighting at Steer, on the Montenero slopes, where strong enemy entrenchments were captureds There have also been furious engagements north-west of Gorizia where the enemy was strongly reinforced, and there was hand-to-hand fighting in the Italian trenches. Eventually the enemy was driven back. There has been a vigorous offensive in the Carso region, towards San Martino, where more trenches were captured The day's total of captures was 702 prisoners, three muchine guns and much material.

GERMAN WOMEN ANGRY.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 80. The Telegraaf states that on the 20th instructionds of women demonstrated before the Imperial castle at Berlin! They demanded the return of their husbands from the front and an improvement in the supply of provisions. The police dispersed the demonstrators.

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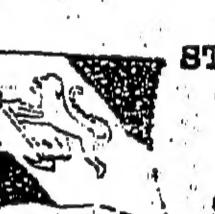
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## HONGKONG TIDES.

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### DEPARTURES.....

December 1. Empress of Japan, for Shanghai and Van COUTET. Devaucongse, for Saigon. Peleus, for Shanghal.

Liangchene, for Shanghai. Chiquen, for Shanghai. Chingchow, for Port Parseval, Ningchow, for Singapore and Liverpool. Mentor for Singapore and Liverpool. Dainichi Maru, for Hungay. Kohina Maris, for Cherampo.

### PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Haitan, from Coast Ports, Misses Lulu Frey, E. Renick, Messrs W. L. Pattenden, A. B. Pinson, W. Nicholson, J. E. W. Beards, Mrs Sterling and child, Mr and Mrs Walton and 2 children Rt Rev. Rayssac, Rev. A. Eteinne, Rev. L.

Per Mishima Maru, from London, &c. for Hongkong, Mr L. Ross, Mrs M. Slade, Mrs Hawe, Mr Galbraith, Mr T. Haslam, bir and Mrs Scrensen and 2 children, Miss Linde, Mr and Mrs Helgesen, Mr and Mrs Brezer and child, Dr Wang, Mrs Furnivall, Miss Cope, Mrs Hewell, Mr T. Bannister, Mr C. Catlin, Mr Cooke, Capt. Valantine, Mr W. Kerr, 'Mr 'R. Matsukane, Mrs Mordenn and child, Miss M. M. Mogben. Per Kalori Maru, from Shanghai, &c. Mr H. N. Jeffries, wiss J. Wild, Mr K Imai, Mr and Mrs V. B. Sonza, Miss A. L. Encarnacao, Miss M. M. Encarnacao, Mr L. E. Czario, Mr and Mrs Hastings, Mr S. Suematsu, Mr and Mrs Beswick, Mr and Mrs B. A. Hale, Mr E. L. G. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs . G. C. Moxon, Mr E. H. Grooms, Mr.A. G. L. Lide Silva, Mr and Mrs M. F. Kline.

Per Luchow, from Shanghai, Mr and Mrs Amery, Mr.T. F. Carstain. DEPARTED.

Per Tenyo Mari, for San Francisco, &c. Mr J. H. Allison, Miss F. E. Baulter, Mr F. A. Boardman, Mrs J. R. Barnhart, Mr. J. A. Beach, Mr W. H. Collins, Mr F. A. Catron, Mr J. E. Cole, Mr E. D. Cavin, Mr P. R. Des Jardiens, Mr and Mrs A. G. Dumer, Mrs W. W. Eastabrooke, Mr C. C. Edwards, Mr M. Einsler, Mr L. W. Gray, Mr.C. A. Garner, Mr G. L Goodman, Mr R. B. George, Mr and Mrs Howell, Mr and Mrs E. Howard and child, Mrs H. S. Howard, Mr and Mrs R. R. Haupt, and child, Mr N. G. Hart, Mr H. Jorgenson, Mr E. F. Kixmiller, Mr L. G. Kirby, Mrs M. P. Lambert, Mr W. Lackey, Miss H. C. Martin, Mr J. H. McGregor, Mr R. N. McConnell, Miss E. Mahoney, Mrs A. F. Miller, Prof. and Mrs L. L. Nichols, Mr H S. Neuman, Mr and Mrs W. A. O'Leary, Miss R. Porter, Mrs W. V. R. Powis, Mr and Mrs H. O. Page, Mr. R. H. Parker, Mr. H. Rudolph, Mr. P. M. N. da Silva, Mr. M. D. Silas, Mr F. F. Spielman, Mrs W. A. Shepherd and children, Mr A. Spitzel, Mr E. P. Thompson, Mr and Mrs J. C. Uhraland, Mrs L. B. Uhraland, Mr J. C. Uhraland, Jr., Mr P. J. Vaspnik, M. s. W. Wood, Prof. C. W. Wright, Miss C. M. Wright, Mr. and Mrs G. H. Wright, Miss K. P. Williamson, Mrs A. A. Lepphardt, Miss D. Mays, Mrs P. Mousby, Mr A. Franco, Mr L. A. da Silva, Mr O. C. Moore, Mr S. Martinez, Mr J. Sanchez,

SHIPPING REPORTS.

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### WAGES AND PRICES IN GERMAN. To-day's Advertisements

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CUSSIGNEES. FROM EUROPE, COLOMBO AND

STRAITS. THE C mpany's Steamship,

MISHIMA MARU. having arrived from the above Forts, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed higher wages than in peace times, while that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Honoxono & KOWLOOM WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANT'S Gopowas at Kowloon, where each consign-

delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given, to the contrary will be subject to rent.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Con-All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns.

Hongkong, Dec. 1, 1915.

### POST OFFICE NOTICES.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

As no apportunity for the despatch of Parcel Mails to Mexico is likely to occur for some time, parcels for Mexico will not be accepted until further notice.

Correspondence addressed to enemy subjects in China, Siam, Persia and Morocco cannot be transmitted.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are sussuspended. Ships in communication with Cape D'Aguilar Radio Telegraph Station :-Tenyo Maru Aki Moru · Chicago Maru " ". Surdinie Empress of Japan

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Per Sardinia, on Friday, the 3rd Dec. Registered L.15 p.m. Letters at 2 p.m. The Parcel Mail will be closed on 2nd

Per Kaifong, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 4th Dec. STRAITS, BURMAH & INDIA VIA

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"The "Vorwaerta" publishes an article on wages and prices. It says that such increase in wages as there has been during the war has by no means keps pace with the cost of living. There have been increases in the wages in "war industries," but, sh time has gone on, the industrialists have succeeded in gotting further cheup tabour. The "Yorwaerts." defines the position as being that "only a small part of the workers are getting the greatest part of them have to be content with the old wages, and some even have to put up with reduced wages. A ment will be sorted out mark by mark and to cost of livingous the present time the "Vorwaerts" says:--

According to a calculation on the Calwer system, the requirements of a family of four persons cost in June, 1914, 24s, Goods not cleared by the 5th December, | Od., and in June of the present year Wis hi That is an increase by more than 50 per cent., and the figures no signed a , and the Co.'s representatives longer hold good, because a number of at an appointed hour on TUESDAY and cheap products which are taken into this strong. calculation are no longer obtainable. Since June, moreover, the prices of meat, milk, butter, cheese, and sugar have increased considerably. The increase in kong and Hainan: The same as No. price of the most important foodstuffs probably amounts to between 75 and 100 1022 per cent. To this has to be added the increased cost of clothing and especially of boots and shoes, and of most of the articles in most general use. The result Cakes, Confectioners Moals with Wince & is a crying disproportion between the wages income of the working classes and the cost of living.

The "Vorwacrts" says that there is on the other band no doubt whatever that employers' profits generally are increasing, although the total profits mad may be less than in peace times. T article concludes :- It is certain that t working classes are being impoverishe that they are spending their miseral savings, and that they have to economi in their standard of living. As this stadard of living was poor before the wa its diminution means the using up of t vital force of the people. In existing circumstances there is no prospect raising the level of wages. All the mo urgent is a reduction of the excessive high prices of indispensable articles

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January, 1916. 'Apply to .-J. VINCENT BRAGA. Toyo Kisen Kaisha. Hongkong, Nov. 15, 1915.

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MENT AND AGENCY Co., Lab. Hongkong, Nov. 3, 1915.

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## WEATHER REPORT

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S.—South coast of China between Hong- kong and Lamocks: The same as No. 1.	On Shanghai— On demand 30 days' eight (private paper) On Yokohama—
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